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FM AMEMBASSY LISBON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 8333

C O N F I D E N T I A L LISBON 5821

FOR A/SY/FO

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJECT: THREAT AGAINST AMBASSADOR

1. ON AUGUST 24, EMBASSY RECEIVED REPORT FROM AMCONSUL OPORTO THAT ULTRA-LEFTISTS (NFI) WILL MAKE AN ATTEMPT UPON AMBASSADOR CARLUCCI'S LIFE. INFORMATION WAS PROVIDED TO CONSULATE PRINCIPAL OFFICER PENNER BY FORMER CONSULATE LOCAL EMPLOYEE, WHO HAD BEEN SPEAKING WITH A LEFTIST-ORIENTED EMPLOYEE OF THE OPORTO BRANCH OF MARCONI TELEGRAPH COMPANY. NO TIME-FRAME WAS MENTIONED CONCERNING THE ALLEGED ATTEMPT; REASON CITED WAS THE GROWING INFLUENCE OF THE US IN PORTUGAL.

2. PENNER HAS ASKED FORMER LOCAL EMPLOYEE TO ATTEMPT TO GAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, IF POSSIBLE, CONCERNING SPECIFIC PLANS AND BIO-DATA OF ANY PARTICIPANTS. FULL USE OF AMBASSADOR'S POLICE BODYGUARD AND FULLY-ARMORED VEHICLE IS IN EFFECT.

3. THE VALIDITY OF THIS THREAT IS UNKNOWN; IT MAY BE DUE TO IDLE SPECULATION BUT AT THIS POINT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE. FURTHER REPORTS WILL FOLLOW AS AVAILABLE.

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